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nothing herein contained shall prejudice the rights Chap. 140. of any purchaser for valuable consideration, or any bona fide creditor, whose interest or rights may have accrued since the execution and acknowledg= ment of said deed.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall In force. take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 140.

Passed March 2, 1860.

WHEREAS, a bill was filed on the fourth day of Preamble. February, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, in the Circuit Court for Washington county, as a Court of Equity, by certain persons as the next friends of Nannie Kennedy and Lydia H. Kennedy, praying for the sale of certain real estate belonging to said infants, situated in Washington county, Maryland, upon the proceedings of which bill, a decree was passed, empowering a Trustee to sell the same, but in obtaining said decree there was omitted the usual commission required under the act of Assembly of eighteen hundred and eighteen, chapter one hundred and thirty-three, section two, but in all other respects the proceedings were regular, and property of a large amount was sold and the purchasers have paid the purchase money thereof, to correct which omission:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Mary- Court vested land, That any of the purchasers may file their pe-with power to tition in the Circuit court for Washington county, sitting as a court of equity, setting forth the above facts, and on furnishing the judge of said court with evidence that the sales of said real estate were fairly conducted, that the same were sold for a full price, and that the purchase money has been paid, that then and in that case said court may pass an order confirming the sales made by the trustee in said case, and which shall vest in the